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In consideration of the mutual benefits to be derived from this treaty, all signators agree that they are each prohibited from embarking upon or engaging in the manufacture, acquisition, possession, testing, or use of nuclear weapons, and take a commitment to cooperate with the Armaments Regulation Organization in the installation and maintenance of an adequate inspection system to verify the fulfillment of this prohibition; provided, however, that in the instance of those signators who have manufactured nuclear weapons prior to their signature upon this treaty, and during their continued possession of nuclear weapons within the terms of this treaty, the prohibitions and commitments for each of them under this article shall instead be as follows:

(a) Without a prerequisite of an inspection system, an unconditional, temporary prohibition from testing nuclear weapons within twelve months following the effective date of this treaty.

(b) A commitment to cooperate with the Armaments Regulation Organization in the prompt design, installation, and maintenance of an adequate inspection system capable of assuring:

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the detection of any nuclear test conducted anywhere, the measurement of the amount of fissionable material projected into the atmosphere from any nuclear test or other nuclear event, and the accountability of all fissionable material produced after an agreed date or otherwise transferred to internationally supervised non-weapons purposes within the terms of this treaty.

(c) After the installation of an adequate inspection system to verify the fulfillment of the commitment and after an agreed cut-off date, a commitment to devote all future production of fissionable materials exclusively to national or international non-weapons purposes under international supervision including stockpiling, national or international.

(d) A commitment to transfer to exclusively national or international non-weapons purposes under international supervision all fissionable materials produced prior to the cut-off date which has not been incorporated into nuclear weapons prior to the cut-off date; this commitment however does not prevent the continuing refabrication of nuclear weapons subsequent to the cut-off date.

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(e) A commitment to make agreed equitable proportionate transfers of fissionable materials in successive increments from previous production over to internationally inspected and supervised national or international non-weapons purposes, including stockpiling national or international; provided, however, that for the purposes of this initial partial agreement, transfers shall be carried out to only a limited degree and a substantial nuclear weapons capability will be maintained.

(f) A prohibition from the use of nuclear weapons except; in individual or collective self-defense under Article 51 of the United Nations Charter when the armed attack against a member of the United Nations includes the use of nuclear weapons by the attacker, or is of such a nature or magnitude that it cannot feasibly be repelled without the use of nuclear weapons in the judgement of the user; or pursuant to a decision of the United Nations Security Council or Assembly.

(g) After the installation and during the maintenance of an adequate inspection system to verify the commitment, a commitment to continue a limitation or cessation of nuclear tests.

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(h) A prohibition from delivering to or placing in the possession of any other state any nuclear weapons, retaining in the custody of its own armed forces any of such nuclear weapons with which they may be equipped while stationed on the soil of another state.

(i) A commitment to cooperate with the other signators to this treaty and with the International Atomic Energy Agency in the safeguarded development of the peaceful and constructive uses of fissionable material.

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